

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: ADS DECLAS 12/17/74

TAGS: EAID, PFOR, MT,IN

SUBJ: INDIAN INDUSTRIAL DELEGATION

REF: VALLETTA 862

1. FOLLOWING WEEKS' VISIT ACCOMPANIED BY DELEGATION OF SIX INDUSTRIALISTS, INDIAN NON RESIDENT HIGH COMMISSIONER APA SABEB B. PANT INFORMED PRESS AT LUQA AIRPORT JOINT INDIAN MALTESE INDUSTRIAL PROJECTS MAY BE REALIZED WITH ONE YEAR. DELEGATION MEMBERS REPRESENTED SOME TWO HUNDERED INDIAN COMPANIES MANUFACTURING COFFEE, STEEL ELECTRONICS AND PHARMACEUTICALS. PANT SAID FEASIBILITY STUDIES WILL BE CARRIED OUT DURING COMING SIX MONTHS REGARDING POSSIBILITY INDIA-MALTESE EUROPEAN AND NORTH AFRICAN CAPITALS JOINTLY INVESTING IN INDUSTRIES MANUFACTURING LIGHT ENGINEERING PRODUCTS, FOOD AND TEXTILE IN MALTA.

2. COMMENT: WHILE PANT'S VISIT WAS IN THE CONTEXT OF HIS SEMI-ANNUAL CALLS IN MALTA AND A FOLLOW-UP TO HIS EXPLORATION  
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IN LOCAL INDUSTRY LAST MAY, PANT CHOSE TO ATTRIBUTE THIS LATEST

INITIATIVE TO PM MINTOFF. HE ASSERTED INDIAN  
DELEGATION VISITED MALTA FOLLOWING TALKS BETWEEN PM MINTOFF  
AND PM GANDHI DURING THE NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE IN ALGIERS  
EARLIER THIS YEAR.TUCKER

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